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**Inventor(s):** Ross V. LA FETRA  
**Application No.:** 10/079,988

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**Title:** HOT SWAPPING MEMORY METHOD AND SYSTEM

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TOTAL CLAIMS	20	MINUS	20	= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	4	= 0	X \$88	\$ 0
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OTHER FEES						\$
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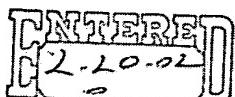
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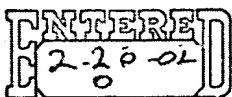
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Sir:

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original patent application,  
 continuation-in-part application

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TITLE: HOT SWAPPING MEMORY METHOD AND SYSTEM.

Enclosed are:

- (X) The Declaration and Power of Attorney.     signed     unsigned or partially signed.  
(X) 5 sheets of drawings (one set)     Associate Power of Attorney  
( ) Form PTO-1449     Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449  
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TOTAL CLAIMS	20 — 20	0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4 — 3	1	X \$84	\$ 84
ANY-MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS	0		\$280	\$ 0
BASIC FEE: Design (\$330.00); Utility (\$740.00)				\$ 740
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